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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE FORMATION OF TWO NORWEGIAN GROUPS

(1942)

From: MOSCOW

To: STOCKHOLM

No: 264

16th April 1942

To AKLSTO[i].

In reply to your No. 121[a].

Form the Norwegians into two separate groups[b].

Give the group [which is under][c] "SVANTE"[ii] a[d] MUSIC[MUZYKA][iii] and a[d] signals plan [PROGRAMMA]. The group's MUSICIAN[MUZYKANNT][iv] will be "FRED"[v].

[36 groups unrecovered]

Link the second group [which is under][c] "FELIX[FELIXS]"[vi] to "SVANTE's" MUSIC through a post-box number[POCHTOVYJ YaShchIK] or an agreed address[c]. Teach "FELIX" the TILAND[vii] also.

[36 groups unrecovered]

[36 groups unrecoverable]

No. 3593

[Signature unrecoverable]

Notes: [a] STOCKHOLM's No. 655, 656 of 8th April 1942 (3/NBZ/T1809).

[b] or "Form two separate groups of Norwegians".

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Notes: (Cont'd)

- (c) Inserted by the translator.
- (d) or "the".
- (e) This presumably means that 's group has to use the W/T set belonging to 's group and that incoming and outgoing messages have to pass to and from 's group via a P.O. box number or an agreed address.

Comments: (i) AKUSTO: Col. N.I. NIKITUSHEV, Soviet Military and Air Attache in STOCKHOLM.

(ii)

covername "OVANTE" also occurs in STOCKHOLM's No. 737 of 19th April 1942 (3/NBF/T1808) and No. 872 of 8th May 1942 (3/NBF/T1783) and in MOSCOW's No. 710 of 30th September 1942 (3/NBF/T1608).

(iii) MUSIC: Coverword for a W/T set.

(iv) MUSICIAN: Coverword for a W/T operator.

(v)

covername "FALL" also occurs in STOCKHOLM's No. 872 of 8th May 1942 (3/NBF/T1783).

(vi)

Apart from this, he is not known.

covername "FALL" also occurs in STOCKHOLM's No. 737 of 19th April 1942 (3/NBF/T1808), No. 872 of 8th May 1942 (3/NBF/T1783) and No. 873 of 8th May 1942 (3/NBF/T1688) and in MOSCOW's No. 343 of 11th May 1942 (not published) and No. 710 of 30th September 1942 (3/NBF/T1608).

(vii) TALMUD: Coverword for cipher or cipher system

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